SENATOR WESELY: Thank you.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Schmit, did you wish to close?

SENATOR SCHMIT: No close.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question is, shall LB 75 be advanced to E & R initial. All those in favor signify by voting aye, opposed nay. Please vote. Does anyone wish to vote on this? Record. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance the bill.

SPEAKER NICHOL: LB 75 advances. We will go on to LB 72. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 72 introduced by Senator Schmit and Haberman. (Read.) The bill was read on January 6, referred to the Public Works Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. There are Public Works Committee amendments, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Schmit, did you wish to take up the amendments? Senator Schmit, did you want to take up the amendments to LB 72?

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, yesterday I handed out the provisions for the weight, classifications and increase in fees and in order to clarify some of the language in regard to the combination of trucks we had to add several words. We had to add "trucks or" and we had to add "combination" in one place in the bill in order that we could use the classification "trucks or combinations of trucks." The explanation for that is that today we have a wide variety of combinations such as the pickup truck, the gooseneck trailer, you have the pup trailer behind the straight truck, you have the various combinations of semitrailers. This language clarifies that and extends the provisions of the bill to those other classifications. I move the adoption of the amendments.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Haberman, did you wish to talk to the amendments? Okay. The question is the adoption of the committee amendments. All those in favor signify by voting aye, opposed nay. We are voting on the committee amendment. Please vote. I appreciate those of you who came back to the body but it looks like some of the others that were here have faded away so I would again request that you come to the floor so that we can vote on these amendments and bills. Thank you. Record, Mr. Clerk.